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ROOMS.—A furnished room in a pleasant locality, five minutes walk from P. O. Apply to "W.," this office.

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NOTICE.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned for the purchase of the land known as Section III, Comox District, containing 90 acres, more or less. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN.
Victoria, B. C., May 2, 1888. my3 1m

NOTICE.

CUSTOMERS OF WM. SMITH, SCAVENGER, are respectfully requested to notify me either at Dixi H. Ross & Co.'s store, Government street, or at Robert Porter's butcher shop, cor. of Douglas and Johnson, of any neglect of team in removing rubbish or other scavenging work.
PETER HANSEN, Elizabeth St., Successor to Wm. Smith.

REVELSTOKE THE HUB.

Great Natural Advantages--Geographical Centre of the Mining Region.

River Improvem nts--Where the Smelter Ought to be Located --The Colonel Explains.

[From our own Correspondent.]

Since writing you last, the weather has become quite pleasant and moderate, with an entire disappearance of snow on the plateau and a gradual rise of water in the Columbia. Boating is good, and many prospectors, with boats laden with supplies, have gone both up and down the river. In fact miners are actively on the move in all directions radiating from this centre, with bright business prospects all around.

OUR REPRESENTATIVE

made us a short visit a few days ago and gave an account of his stewardship. He was interviewed to some extent about the government appropriation for the erection of a smelter in this district. He did not know just yet where it would be located, but expressed the opinion that Revelstoke possessed advantages from its geographical position and surroundings over all other probable locations. I fully coincide with "the Colonel," and spoke of the matter in my last communication, inviting the attention of capitalists to this section. A[illegible] and existing

FREIGHT RATES

over the line of the C.P.R. have been obtained on ore from given points to given points—which show clearly the difference in all cases to be largely in favor of this point.

It is the general opinion that many of the mines of "the Illecillewaet" will prove profitable. Preparations are now rapidly being made to do extensive work on four or five of them, and *no doubt* exists as to the development, to a greater or lesser extent of the majority of claims (mines) in that section this year. There were about two hundred locations made last year in that section. Should one-fourth of them be continuously worked, (in other words prove paying property)

IMPERATIVE WOULD BE THE DEMANDS

for a smelter near by. All reports we have from Toad Mountain are encouraging. The work of smelting ore from that section should be done here. One or two steamboats are now being built to carry freight to and fro from this point to the Toad Mountain section. Kamloops, which would be the shipping point for all ore from the Nicola Valley and from the North Thompson sections is only one hundred and thirty odd miles from here; whereas to Vancouver it is nearly two hundred and fifty miles. Is it not reasonable then to think that shipments of ore from Kamloops, owing to saving in freight, would be made to this point? The Big Bend country is very quiet just now, from the fact of its being rather inaccessible, and for the want of shipping facilities. Let the obstructions to navigation of the Columbia River be removed. I predict when that is done that Big Bend will loom up in the richness and number of its mines (quartz) second to no locality in British Columbia.

RIVER IMPROVEMENTS.

I know the matter of river improvements is with the general government, and do not hesitate to say that if properly memorialized, an appropriation would be made sufficient to cover expense of removing all obstructions to navigation of the Columbia River by steamboats, from the American line to the Canoe River. Ten thousand dollars was appropriated nearly two years ago for improvements at Death Rapids. Can you tell me what has become of that money and why it is not being spent as indicated? We have a mountainous country, but rich in minerals—let us bestir ourselves actively and develop it, spending the Government's money (appropriations) at central and accessable points — that is at points where the demands of the majority of miners will amply be met. The people of Golden think the government smelter should be located there. I don't think so, from the fact that there are only two or three mines over in that immediate section, and if I am correctly informed only one is likely to be worked this year, and moreover the people of Illecillewaet express a preference for this point. In review, then, of the situation I would say,

LOCATE THE SMELTER

here, and all parties can be accommodated and will, no doubt, be eventually satisfied. We have Toad mountain south of us, Nicola valley and North Thompson west of us, Big Bend north of us and Illecillewaet and Golden east of us. Place the smelter at Golden and all of the above mining sections are west of it, which shows that it is at one side of the district and almost out of the way. Big Bend country will die a natural death and the work of smelting the ore from the Toad mountain mines will be done by our friends across the border. An act of the last House places

FOREIGN AND HOME

capital on an equal footing; hence a greater necessity for circumspection and decision on the part of the Government. I have no quartz mines in Toad Mountain, Illecillewaet or Nicola Valley, or anywhere else in the province. I write, therefore, from a disinterested standpoint, and can unblushingly say that I have written nothing but facts. However this will be ascertained on investigation; and it is to be hoped that the proper authorities will fully and critically investigate and weigh the advantages claimed for this or for that point or all points, before deciding upon the location of the smelter. W.

The Lessons of "Unser Fritz" Case.

The greatest doctors in Europe don't seem to know what ails "Unser Fritz."

Thus are the Garfield and Grant episodes repeated, and public confidence in "expert" medical knowledge is again shaken.

The effect is a revulsion.

Since the fatal days of 1883, many of the doctrines of the schoolmen concerning extensive medication have been abandoned, and all schools of practice are more and more relying upon old-fashioned simple root and herb preparations and careful nursing, the old reliances known to our ancestors.

These methods and reliances are illustrated to-day in a series of old-fashioned roots and herbs preparations recently given to the world by the well-known proprietors of Warner's safe cure, preparations made from formulæ possessed by many of our oldest families, and rescued for popular use, and issued under the happy designation of Warner's Log Cabin Remedies.

"My son," exclaimed a venerable woman to the writer when he was a boy, "my son, you're yeller and pale and weak like lookin', you're needin' a good shaking up with some sas'paril'."

A jug of spring sarsaparilla was just as necessary in the "winter supplies" of fifty years ago as was a barrel of pork, and a famous medical authority says that the very general prevalence of the use of such a preparation as Log Cabin Sarsaparilla explains the rugged health of our ancestors.

While Warner's Log Cabin Sarsaparilla is an excellent remedy for all seasons of the year, it is particularly valuable in the spring, when the system is full of sluggish blood and requires a natural constitutional tonic and invigorator to resist colds and pneumonia, and the effects of a long winter. Philo M. Parsons, clerk of the City Hotel of Hartford, Conn., was prostrated with a cold which, he says, "seemed to settle through my body. I neglected it and the result was my blood became impoverished and poisoned, indicated by inflamed eyes. I was treated but my eyes grew worse. I was obliged to wear a shade over them. I feared that I would be obliged to give up work."

"Under the operation of Warner's Log Cabin Sarsaparilla and Liver Pills," he says, "the sore and inflamed eyes disappeared. My blood, I know, is in a healthier condition than it has been for years. I have a much better appetite. I shall take several more bottles for safety's sake. Warner's Log Cabin Sarsaparilla is a great blood purifier and I most heartily recommend it."

A few bottles of Warner's Log Cabin Sarsaparilla used in the family now will save many a week of sickness and many a dollar of bills. Use no other. This is the oldest, most thoroughly tested, and the best, is put up in the largest sarsaparilla bottle on the market, containing 120 doses. There is no other preparation of similar name that can equal it. The name of its manufacturers is a guarantee of its superior worth.

While the great doctors wrangle over the technicalities of an advanced medical science that can not cure disease, such simple preparations yearly snatch millions from untimely graves.

DUKE OF BISMARCK

To Leave for Varsin—Emperor Frederick Orders Reprisals Against France.

Boulanger Pacifies Great Britain —The Spanish Exhibition a Great Success.

GERMANY RETALIATING.

Berlin, May 21—It is learned that the Emperor will issue a decree ordering reprisals in return for obstacles put in the way of Germans entering France before Duke Bismarck starts for Varsin.

THE SPANISH EXHIBITION.

Barcelona, May 21.—The Queen regent opened the Barcelona exhibition yesterday. The ceremonies attending the opening were a success. Thirty-five hundred of the nobility were present in the great hall of exhibition.

BOULANGER PACIFIES ENGLAND.

Paris, May 21.—General Boulanger has returned to the city. He says the war scare in England is ridiculous. "The English may set their minds at rest," said he, "for no one wants to meddle with them."

PROTEST AGAINST THE POPE.

Dublin, May 21—Six thousand people assembled in Phœnix Park yesterday. Lord Mayor Sexton presided. Dillon, O'Brien and other Parnellites made speeches against the Pope's interference in Irish politics.

The Kootenay Canal.

The contract for the Kootenay canal has been let to Mr. Sinclair, of New Westminster, who proposes to commence work on the 15th of June, employing about seventy men. It is expected that work will be completed in December. Mr. Graham is now en route to Kootenay.

Proposition to Yacht Owners

It is understood that Mr. Edwin Johnson is endeavoring to get up a boat race for the 24th for yachts under 18 feet at the water line. The proposition is to sail for a small prize and to charge an entrance fee of $2.50. The course would be from James Bay, out of the harbor, around Brotchie Ledge and back. Entrances for the race can be made up to the 24th at either Jones' boat house or Bolton's boat house, James Bay Bridge.

Hon. A. E. B. Davie.

The Hon. A. E. B. Davie, premier of British Columbia, Mrs. Davie and family were passengers by the Mexico this morning from San Francisco. Some days since THE TIMES announced that the honorable gentleman and family would be passengers by this steamer. All will be pleased to hear of his safe arrival home again, but the regret will be general when it is learned that his health is not as satisfactory as could be wished. British Columbia weather, however, may build him up again and restore him to his wonted vigor and good health.

24th May Celebration.

The temperance excursion on the E. & N. R. promises to be a grand affair. Every arrangement has been made by the committee for the comfort of the people, especially in selecting such a beautiful locality for the sports. The grounds which adjoin the railway could not be more beautifully situated, the scenery from that point being unexcelled. Abundance of good fresh water will be supplied from a large tank on the grounds free for all who desire it. The committee are busy erecting swings and other such facilities for enjoying a good time. The military band, under Prof. Agius, will furnish excellent music, as usual on such occasions.

Harrison Hot Springs.

The "season" at Harrison Hot Springs has opened already. The following guests had registered there last week: John Livingstone, Toronto; T Robin, Vancouver; John Fraser, Vancouver; Benjamin Ashton, Newcastle, Ont; Theo Draper, Victoria; Alex Condie, Winnipeg; John D Stewart, Ontario; O I Klotz, Ottawa; E Barron, Vancouver; C Inkman, Agassiz; H R Holden, T Holden, Stave River; T Keating, T D Starrett, North Bend; Hugh Mackay, Nicola; Joseph M Barr, Ashcroft; John Morris, Vancouver; Miss Howitt, Toronto; Dr Howitt, San Francisco; H A Jones, Geo Turner, C D Rand, Vancouver; J Rooney, J P Le Vassey, J Bentley, Mrs Barlow, Mrs McColl, W J McColl, Westminster.

BEYOND THE BORDER.

A San Diego Bank Cashier a Defaulter and Skedaddles--Chicago's Anarchists.

A Saloon Keeper's Conception of Liberty--The Great Tunnel at Detroit.

OVER SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS.

San Diego, Cal., May 21—Wm. V. Holmes, the absconding cashier whose shortage at first was believed to be about two thousand dollars, is now found to have taken with him over six thousand dollars.

NO SYMPATHY WITH ANARCHISTS.

Chicago, May 21—The thirteenth annual convention of the North American Turner Bund [illegible] here Saturday. The president in his address disowned all sympathy with the anarchists.

A BLOW AT LIBERTY.

St. Louis, Mo., May 21—The Sunday law, which was generally obeyed yesterday, caused Fred Helfenstien, saloon keeper, to commit suicide. He left a letter stating that his license was taken away and asserting that this act was a blow at liberty and freedom, and he would not live in a country where tyrants held sway.

DETECTIVE KILLED.

Chicago, May 21—Thomas Barrett, employed by Pinkerton in patrolling the Burlington track, while sitting in a room in his own house yesterday was shot and killed by some unknown person.

TUNNELLING THE DETROIT RIVER.

Detroit, May 21—A syndicate has been formed to tunnel the Detroit river at this point. The syndicate is known as the Michigan Canada Tunnel Co., and is represented by more than $10,000,000. It has been legally formed in Canada and will be properly qualified for transacting business under the Michigan law.

MURDERED HIS WIFE.

Angleca, New York, May 19—Charles Gilbert, recently released from prison for burglary, shot and killed his wife this morning, during a quarrel, and escaped.

THE MILLS' TARIFF BILL.

Washington, May 19—The closing speeches on the Mills' Tariff Bill are being made to-day. Reed, of Maine, made a strong protectionist speech scoring the President and his policy.

IMPRISONED FOR LIFE.

San Francisco, May 19—John J. Crawford, convicted of the murder of Martin V. Burke, whom Crawford killed for harrassing his wife, was sentenced this morning to imprisonment in the States Prison for life.

ECCLESIASTICAL CHANGES.

Kingston, May 17.—It is rumored that a new diocese will be created in the eastern end of Ontario, and that the Rev. Father J. Lonergan, of Montreal, will be raised to the Bishopric and sent to Cornwall. Current talk is that Bishop Cleary will succeed Archbishop Lynch and Rev. Father Gauthier will be Bishop of Kingston.

SULLIVAN IN A CIRCUS.

Boston, May 21—John L. Sullivan has bought a third interest in Davis Circus and will travel with the show through the United States, beginning about June first.

Marine Notes.

Steamer Muriel is aground on Denman Island.

Sealing schooner Laura is aground at Marnovia, Alaska.

Steamer Cariboo-Fly will be due tomorrow evening from Fort Simpson and way ports.

A cablegram was received from London stating that the German bark Marie Riebeck from Genoa for San Francisco had been burned at sea and her crew had all landed at Babia. The vessel is a small bark of 504 tons, built in 1872 at the yard of D. Rogge, Brake, Germany. She was in command of Captain Hoglund and was consignee to Pascal, Dubedar & Co., San Francisco.

Our Exports and Imports.

During the first four months of 1888 and 1887 the merchandise exports from San Francisco to British Columbia were valued as follows:

Months.	1888.	1887.
January	$21,260	$26,948
February	65,204	83,993
March	73,920	94,772
April	61,920	85,679
Total	$222,354	$256,392

Showing a comparative decrease this year of $31,038. There were three months last year in each of which the total for British Columbia reached nearly $100,000, viz.: March, May and July. The imports from British Columbia to San Francisco during the first four months of 1888 were valued at $387,042, against $406,423 for the same period in 1887.

Presbyterian Picnic.

The annual picnic of the St. Andrew's Church Sabbath School will take place on Saturday, the 9th of June, at Langford Plains. Trains will be run for the occasion on the E. & N. Railway from Store street. The scholars of the school will be carried hence free of charge. Children not attending school will be charged 50 cents and adults 75 cents for round-trip tickets. A meeting of the ladies of the congregation to arrange preliminaries will be held in the church on Wednesday next, at 3 o'clock. It is proposed to make the picnic a regular congregational gathering. The spot selected is a delightful one, and should the weather prove favorable a large number of our citizens will join in making the affair one of pleasure for all parties.

Another Quick Passage.

The iron bark Camana, 595 tons, W. Gordon, master, consigned to Welch, Rithet & Co., arrived in Royal Roads this morning with a cargo of general merchandise. The Camana left London on the 1st January, but did not leave the Downs until the 7th of that month, and the Lizards on the 16th. The Cape de Verde Islands were passed on the 1st February. The equator was crossed on the 8th February. Cape Horn was reached on the 13th March. Heavy gales were experienced for several days in succession from this point. Until the 29th April strong winds prevailed; after that light northerly winds were met with which lasted several days, until the island of Vancouver was reached. The equator on the Pacific was crossed on the 19th of April. The Camana will be brought into the harbor at 9 o'clock to-night, and will be docked at Welch-Rithet's wharf where she will unload. The time of the H. B. Co.'s ship Titania has been 118 and 121 days. The sailing time of the Camana, therefore, is a fast one.

"INSUFFERABLE SERFDOM."

Mr. Duncan, of Metlakahtla Notoriety, Still Pursues the Government.

Mr. William Duncan, lately of Metlakahtla, in this Province, but now of the new Metlakahtla in Alaska, continues his assaults upon the Dominion government. The missionary, it appears, has a *penchant* for appearing in the newspapers. He has long since given up writing to papers in this Province, as he now finds shelter in the American journals. On the 20th of April last he wrote a letter to the New York *World*, in which he says:

The losses and wrongs we have been and are being called upon to suffer for having dared to escape from the insufferable serfdom in British Columbia are much greater than we had counted upon. It seems that the Dominion government, being greatly chagrined at our step, has in retaliation determined to bring us to repentance, or it will, by impoverishing us, deter others from following our example. It was while we were in the turmoil of moving into Alaska, last October, that an Indian agent was sent from Victoria, B. C., to forbid us taking down our dwelling-houses (without consulting me he took up his residence in my house and he now occupies it) or public buildings. He even claimed authority over our private property which was movable. Our saw mill, with its stock of lumber and sawlogs; our salmon cannery, and our brick yard, with its stock of bricks, were all seized. The people were not allowed even to take away their shrubs (fruit-bearing) out of their little gardens left behind, but the consolation offered them while thus suff ring is that if they will return to their allegiance to the Queen all will be restored to them. Who would have thought the British lion would have become so ignoble as this? Though a severe and bitter trial to be thus robbed of their hard earnings, yet I am thankful to say the people have borne the stinging outrage with marked self-control. This is all the more to be wondered at when it is remembered that they have numerically strength enough to assert and enforce their rights in defiance of their oppressors if they were so minded. Out of respect, however, for the country under whose sheltering wings they have been received they have determined rather to suffer wrong than to cause their friends anxiety. What means we shall adopt to vindicate our rights we have not decided upon, and the question must remain in abeyance for some little time, as many of our people are scattered from home in search of employment on the coast of Alaska; but if the flagrant tyranny which is being exercised upon the poor people remains altogether unchallenged, it will, I feel be a blot on the civilisation of our country.

The Ocean Mail Subsidy.

The following correspondence by telegraph took place between Mr. Prior, M.P., and Mr. Robert Ward, President of the Board of Trade to-day:

Telegram from E. G. Prior, M.P., to Robt. Ward, President of the Board of Trade.

Ottawa, May 19, 1888.—B.C. members have Sir John's assurance that the San Francisco mail service shall be strictly maintained according to the Terms of Union. (Signed) E. G. PRIOR.

Telegram from B.C. Board of Trade to E. G. Prior, M.P., Ottawa.

Victoria, May 21, 1888.—Thanks for telegram. Is it intended a reply mine to Baker? Assurance unsupported by provision in estimates does not satisfy people here. Indignation stronger. Public meeting contemplated to uphold action of Board in this matter. A direct communication from the Dominion government would be probably in order under the circumstances. We are asking favors and consider it unfair to be compelled to agitate for the maintainance of the agreement between the Dominion government and this province.

(Signed) ROBT. WARD, President.

House of Commons.

The joint farewell address to Lord Lansdowne passed both Houses of Parliament last Saturday.

Mr. Prior, on that afternoon, urged upon the government the importance of taking steps to develope the deep sea fisheries of British Columbia and also of stocking the waters with lobsters. The Hon. G. E. Foster said that the experience gained in last season's experiment with lobsters warranted the belief that they could be successfully transported from the Atlantic coast for stocking the waters of British Columbia. The government also intend to give attention to the deep sea fisheries this summer.

It is in contemplation to make the letter rate of postage 3 cents per ounce in place of the half ounce.

The resolutions re-arranging the Judges' salaries are not to be proceeded with this session.

Just before the House adjourned at midnight, Sir John A. Macdonald announced that the prorogation was intended to take place on Tuesday afternoon, Sir R. Cartwright expressing a doubt that it would be possible to get through the business by that time.

The House of Commons negatived the resolution offered by Mr. Lister, prohibiting members and senators from accepting railway passes.

Sir John A. Macdonald announced that only three government bills were to be dropped, two of these are relating to the Criminal law and the other one is concerning the Copyright Act.

The Bill for the suppression of trade combinations was introduced to-day but cannot be passed this session. It makes persons engaging in such liable to fine and imprisonment.

Answering Mr. Mara, the Minister of Agricultural to-day stated that it was expected that work would be commenced this year on the British Columbia experimental farm.

Base Ball Notes.

ASSOCIATION BASE BALL GAMES.

St. Louis won 12 games, lost 6; Baltimore won 10, lost 9; Athletics won 8, lost 11; Louisville won 8, lost 14; Cincinatti won 16, lost 5; Brooklyn won 13, lost 6; Cleveland won 7, lost 12; Kansas City won 4, lost 15.

Cleveland, May 17.—Brooklyn 15, Cleveland 0.

Baltimore, May 17.—Baltimore 9, Athletics 1.

St. Louis, May 17.—There was no game to-day on account of rain.

Detroit, May 17.—Detroit 7, Washington 1.

Pittsburg, May 17.—After a hard contest to-day the umpire called the game at the end of the sixth innings. The score was a tie. New York 4, Pittsburg 4.

Chicago, May 17.—Chicago 9, Boston 2.

The writs issued for the election in Three Rivers fix the date of nomination for the [illegible] and voting for the 26th inst.

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INACCURATE AS USUAL.

The Colonist's green-eyed monster again got the better of what little judgment it is possessed of on Sunday morning anent the important announcement made in the columns of THE TIMES of Saturday that a light-house was about to be erected at Bonilla Point, as well as a telegraph connection with this city and a signal service. Old Granny Grimes was very wroth that in this, as in nearly every other important announcement made for the last four years, the ancient dame had again been forestalled. In order to let itself down easy our contemporary claims that in its issue of Tuesday morning mention was made of the fact that a light-house was to be built at the point named by our correspondent at the capital. We have searched in vain for even the mention of a light-house. We find the sum of $15,000 in the supplementary estimates for a telegraph and signal service, but nothing is said of a light-house. The Vancouver News-Advertiser special at Ottawa on Saturday they reported the following amongst other items to that journal:

Mr. Gordon was informed that the light-house in British Columbia, for which an appropriation is made, will be situated on Bonnilla Point in the Straits of Fuca. He was congratulated on choosing this location.

It will thus be observed the Colonist's poney express and clothes-line telegraph service is too slow for the present progressive age. The organ is always floundering and making bad breaks. What else could be expected of the stupids who are attempting to serve up news for the rapidly diminishing readers of that once readable, newsy paper?

LIQUOR, BEER AND TOBACCO.

Mr. Johnson, in charge of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics has puplished an interesting letter relative to the consumption of spirits in Canada, from which it appears that the people of Canada are dropping spirits and wine for beer. In 1868, the annual consumption per each 100 of the population was 160 gallons of spirits, 17 of wine and 225 of beer. By 1887 the consumption of spirits had fallen to 74 gallons per 100, wine to 9 gallons per 100, whilst the consumption of beer had increased to 308 gallons per 100. The lowest consumption of spirits was in 1880 and 1886 when it was but 71 gallons per 100 persons. The greatest consumption of beer was in 1887 and the lowest in 1870 and 1873, when it was 216 gallons per 100. Ontario drinks 26 per cent. of spirits, 73.90 of beer and 0.10 of wine. Quebec drinks 43 per cent. of spirits, 50 of beer and 7 of wine. New Brunswick drinks 54.3 per cent. spirits, 40.7 of beer and 5 of wine. Nova Scotia drinks 42.8 per cent. of spirits, 51.9 of beer and 5.3 of wine. Prince Edward Island drinks 51 per cent. of spirits, 0.47 of beer and 2 of wine. Manitoba drinks 27.3 per cent. of spirits, 70.1 of beer and 2.6 of wine. British Columbia drinks 23.4 per cent. of spirits, 65.3 of beer and 10.8 of wine. Ontario drinks nearly three times more beer than spirits; Quebec nearly twice as much spirits as beer; New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island more spirits than beer; and Nova Scotia, Manitoba and British Columbia more beer than spirits. In Ontario, each 1,000 persons in the nineteen years of Confederation have used 34,400 pounds of tobacco; in Quebec, 45,600; in New Brunswick, 41,300, in Nova Scotia, 32,240; in Prince Edward Island, 26,730; in British Columbia, 57,836; in Manitoba and the Northwest, 49,514; and in all Canada the average has been 42,200 pounds for 1,000 persons for nineteen years' tobacco using. The anti-tobacco and anti-whiskey organizations have heavy work ahead.

A FAVORITE WITH IMMIGRANTS.

The exodus from the old country to Canada is apparently proving contagious on the American continent. Hundreds of persons who had in former years been induced to select homes for themselves in the western States are now repenting of their choice and turning their steps towards Canada. Whether it be that the rush to our shores in the ocean steamers has given them the impression that Canada contains features of exceptional desirability of which they had not yet heard or for the simpler reason that the United States had not come up to their expectations, it is an undoubted fact that the immigration from across the Atlantic is accompanied by a movement of settlers of German and other nationalities from Dakota and other western regions. This movement is, it appears, of unprecedented volume. We have already thought it well to utter a word of warning as to the necessity of caution in the invitation and admission of immigrants in the selection of whom the government may have any control. We need not repeat that warning now, as the assisted passage system is discontinued for the present. Rather would we proudly point to the change of opinion which the last few years have brought about with respect to the eligibility of Canada as a home for intending emigrants. Not only do they now come hither in preference to the United States, but they are even leaving the States, after fair trial, for our Northwest. Nor is that all. In the Australasian colonies, they are complaining that the tendency is almost entirely in favor of Canada. In fact, Canada is everywhere at a premium in the emigration market. "It is clear, says the Colonies and India, "that Canada is rising in popular estimation—even among Americans—as a field for settlement."

THE MAIL SUBSIDY.

On Saturday last we gave an outline of the negotiations in progress between the British Columbia Board of Trade of this city and the Dominion government anent clause four of the terms of union. By that clause the Federal government stipulated to maintain a mail service between Victoria and San Francisco by steam vessels. A subsidy was granted for this service to the P.C.S.S. Company. A few months ago that subsidy was withdrawn and instructions issued to forward all matter for the south via the Sound. The following correspondence have been in progress on the subject.

On the 6th January Mr. BAKER wired the Postmaster-General that there was "Great consternation here regarding summary withdrawal of San Francisco mail subsidy. Regarded here as breach of Terms of Union. Please wire intention of government."

To the above telegram Mr. BAKER, on the 7th, received a reply from the Postmaster-General stating that "San Francisco mails continue by same route as for months past. No summary change. Wish of government that British Columbia should have benefit improved modes of mail service both via Vancouver and San Francisco."

On the 12th of January a resolution was passed instructing Mr. Baker and Mr. Robert Ward, President of the Board of Trade, to notify the Postmaster General of the fact "that notwithstanding the statement of the minister that no summary change had been made in the conveyance of mails, the steamers had discontinued taking the mails on account of the subsidy provided for in the estimates having been withdrawn."

These resolutions were likewise passed and forwarded to Ottawa.

"Whereas, by the Terms of Union between the colony of British Columbia and the Dominion of Canada it was agreed under clause 4 of the terms as follows: 'The Dominion will provide an efficient mail service fortnightly by steamer communication between Victoria and San Francisco, and twice a week between Victoria and Olympia; the vessels to be adapted for the conveyance of freight and passengers.'

"And whereas, it has been reported to this Board that the Dominion Government have discontinued the subsidy to the line of steamers now running between this port and San Francisco, and this board is not aware that any other line of steamers have been subsidized;

"And whereas, in the opinion of this Board, notwithstanding the existence of other mail facilities, necessitated by the increased demands of commerce, it is of the utmost importance to the commercial interests of British Columbia that regular steamer communication as provided for by the Terms of Union, should be maintained between Victoria and San Francisco.

Resolved, That this Board call the immediate attention of the B.C. senators, members in the Dominion Parliament and the government of British Columbia to the breach of agreement made by the Dominion Government in discontinuing of the service provided for under the Terms Union above quoted, and that they be requested to protest in the strongest manner possible against the action taken by the Dominion Government as herein set forth."

Mr. Ward, on the 12th Jan., wired that the "British Columbia Board of Trade strongly protests against withdrawal of subsidy to steamships between Victoria and San Francisco, and considers such withdrawal a breach of Terms of Union and calculated to jeopardize the trade and commerce of the province."

Postmaster-General McLelan, on the 16th, replied that the "mail service by steamship had ceased and contract expired, commercial service is subject for consideration; government recognizing Terms of Union."

On the same day the Hon. John Robson, Provincial Secretary, forwarded a letter protesting against the withdrawal of the ocean mail subsidy. The honorable gentleman maintained that the service was intended as much for trade and commerce and for the carriage of mail matter. Canada, in the terms of Union, undertook to maintain the service in perpetuity and has no right to discontinue it without the concurrence of the Province—one of the high contracting parties. He also drew attention to the fact that the concurrence of the Province had not been voted on the subject.

The whole matter was referred to a special committee of the Board of Trade, who on the 19th January submitted the following report:

1. "That the position taken by the honorable the Postmaster-General appears to be entirely unjustifiable, and your committee are at a loss to understand how the government could disregard the treaty agreement between the Dominion and this province bearing upon this important matter, without first conferring with the representatives of this constituency in the Federal parliament and with the provincial government, which, we are informed has not been done.

2. "That from the printed returns of the Post Office Department it would appear that the subsidies now paid by the Dominion government for mail services within and to this province, after deducting the revenues, are less than they were immediately after Confederation by nearly $30,000, as the following comparative figures between the returns for the years 1874 and 1887 show, viz:

"1874 cost for mail service by rail	Nil	
Cost for mail service by land	$ 34,169 25	
" " " water	19,038 74	
" " " ocean	54,1 0 00	
		$107,309 04
Less revenue for stamps, &c		10 655 53
Net expenditure for 1874		$ 96,647 51
1887, cost of mail service by rail	24,809 94	
Cost of mail service by land	41,677 86	
" " " water	37,790 55	
" " " ocean	17,640 00	
	$121,918 35	
Less revenue for stamps, &c	57,420 (?)	
Net expenditure for 1887		64,498 35
The difference being		$ 29,349 16

"Less in 1887 than in 1874, in the face of which it seems not only unjust, but most unreasonable to deprive this province of any of the existing mail service and the attendant facilities for regular communication between this port and San Francisco which is the principal market and shipping port on the Pacific coast.

3. "That this province since confederation has yearly largely increased its contributions to the revenues of the Dominion Government for duties, etc., as shown by the customs returns, the collections under this head at this port having been increased from $342,400.89 in 1872 to $918,972.15 in 1887, which in the opinion of your committee, fairly entitles this province to all the additional mail facilities extended since confederation, and also to such further facilities as the demand for commercial intercourse and the interests of trade and commerce from time to time may demand.

4. "That the determination of the Honorable the Postmaster-General to cancel the mail contract by steamer between San Francisco and Victoria, apart from the fact that it is a breach of a treaty agreement between the Dominion government and this Province, appears in striking contrast with the policy of the Dominion government in advocating a subsidy for the China-Japan line of steamers; and, in the opinion of the board, the Victoria-San Francisco service is of as great, and perhaps greater, importance to this port and province.

5. That the contention of the Honorable the Postmaster-General that the overland mail service via Puget Sound meets all the requirements of this province is not correct, and shows that he has either been misinformed, or has a misconception of the facts, and your committee are prepared to point out several cases since the steamers have discontinued carrying the mails in which the non-arrival of letters by steamer has caused merchants here serious loss and inconvenience.

6. Be it therefore resolved: That this board, in adopting the foregoing report, reiterates the opinion expressed at a previous meeting that a protest be made against the discontinuance of the mail service by steamer between Victoria and San Francisco as a breach of the treaty agreement between this province and the Dominion, and that the representatives of the province in Parliament and the Provincial government be requested to insist upon the renewal of the said mail service in the interest of the trade and commerce of this port and the province at large. And that a copy of this report and resolution be sent to the Honorable the Postmaster-General, the representatives of this constituency in the Dominion parliament; and the Provincial government. And further, that the members and Provincial government be requested to take immediate action to give effect to the wishes of this Board upon the matter referred to herein.

On the 20th the Secretary of the Board of Trade, Mr. W. Monteith, in acknowledging the receipt of a letter from the Provincial Secretary on the subject, forwarded him a copy of the foregoing report, which Mr. Robson acknowledged on the following day, claiming it to be an excellent report and that the decisive action recommended by the Board of Trade will doubtless be taken, the Government being fully alive to the vital importance of the matter therein referred to."

A copy of the report of the committee was likewise forwarded to the Postmaster General on the 24th, and on the 26th the Secretary, at the request of the Board, drew attention to the fact that snow blockades, such as that which recently caused such serious interruption to traffic, and delay to mails, between Portland (Oregon) and Tacoma, W. T., tend to make the land route very uncertain in winter, and should form another reason for maintaining the Ocean mail service between this place and San Francisco as formerly.

The balance of the correspondence will appear to-morrow.

—Milk Punch and Champagne Cocktails at the Pritchard House.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Grand Celebration

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1888.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY!

VICTORIA, B. C.

Morning Sports at Beacon Hill.

INTERNATIONAL BASE BALL MATCH, between The Browns of Seattle and The Amities of Victoria, to commence at 9 a. m.
LACROSSE MATCH, between the Vancouver Team and the Victorians, at 10 a. m.

SAILING MATCH

For Boats under 6 tons. Entrance free.

1st Prize, Silver Cup, presented by Superintendent Roycraft. 2nd prize, $15.00.
Course 8 miles. Start at 10.30. From Outer Wharf pass Brotchie Ledge buoy on the right, around floating spar in front of Rifle range at Royal Roads and return by same course. Time under 2½ hours or no race. Winner will allow time measurement according to Royal Yacht Sailing Rules. Owners will please send the names of their boats to Superintendent Roycraft not later than Monday next.

HORSE RACES!

UNDER BAY STATE RULES.

1st RACE—Flat Race, in heats, best two in three. Open to all comers. Entrance $15. Distance, 1 mile. Prize $150, with entrance money added. Second horse to save his stake. To start at 10:30 prompt.
2nd RACE—A Trotting Match in sulkies, in heats best two in three. Distance 1 mile. Entrance fee $15. Prize $150, with entrance money added. 2nd to save his stake.
All entries to be made at George Thompson's, Fort street, not later than Monday, the 21st, at 8 o'clock p. m.

—AFTERNOON SPORTS—

GRAND REGATTA

Will take place on the Victoria Arm, commencing at 2 o'clock, when the following Programme will be carried out:

1. Naval Skiff Race, 2 p. m. 1st, $10; 2nd, $5.
2. Double Outrigger Skiffs, 2:30 p. m. 1st, $30; 2nd, $15. Entrance, $1.
3. Canoe Race, Indians, 2:45 p. m. $2 per paddle, not to exceed 12.
4. Four-Oared Race, for Boys under 15, 3 p. m. 1st, $20; 2nd, $10.
5. Naval Cutter Race, 3:30 p. m. 1st, $30; 2nd, $10.
6. Shell Race, Single Sculls, 3.45 p. m. 1st, $30; 2nd, $15. Entrance, $1.
7. Canoe Race for Klootchmen, 4 p. m. $2 per paddle, not to exceed 6.
8. Single Outrigged Skiffs, 4:20 p. m. 1st, $20; 2nd, $15. Entrance, $1.
9. Naval Race, whalers and gigs, 4:45 p. m. 1st, $20; 2nd, $10.
10. Swimming Match, 5 p. m. $10.
11. Greasy Pole, 5:15 p. m. $10.

All entries to the Boat Races to be handed in to the Treasurer, Mr. Russell, at the City Hall, on or before Monday, 21st, not later than 9 p.m.
Music will be discoursed at Beacon Hill in the Morning and up the Arm in the Afternoon.
Excursions will be run from Tacoma, Seattle, Port Townsend, Nanaimo, Vancouver and New Westminster, for Single Fares the Round Trip.

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TENDERS FOR THE REPAIR AND RE-construction of the Matsqui Dyke will be received up to noon on Monday 28th May, 1888, at the office of the undersigned, where plans and specifications may be seen.
HENRY B. CROASDAILE,
my17 2w Secretary.

H. G. WATERSON,

Job Printer,

No. 24 Broad St., foot of View
my17 6m

SPORTING NOTES.

Interesting Athletic Events, Past, Present and Future.

Mr. Charles Bulpett, an ex-Oxford University athlete, recently undertook to walk a mile, run a mile and ride a mile in less than 16 min. 30 secs. The performance took place on the Ely road, Newmarket, on March 23d. Mr. Bulpett walked the mile in 8.12 2-5, ran the mile, in spite of an old strain in the left leg manifesting itself, in 5.52 2-5, and rode the mile on a mare in training with nearly 168 pounds up in 1.50. This gives 16 min. 2 4-5 secs. Add 4 secs. for mounting and it will be seen that the three feats were performed in 16 min. 7 3-5 secs., or with 22 1-5 secs. to the good. Mr. Bulpett stands 5 feet 10 inches in height, weighs in training 149 lbs., and is 36 years of age. The combined performance is considered a record-breaking one.

The team of English cricketers who, under the captaincy of G. F. Vernon, have been playing a series of matches in Australia under the direction of the Melbourne Cricket Club, had a highly successful tour, marred though it was at the outset by the fact of the first captain (now Lord Hawke) being obliged to return home on receipt of the painful news of the death of his father, and later on through the serious accident which deprived the team of the services of that popular cricketer, W. Bates, of Yorkshire. The team has only been once beaten, viz., by the New South Wales eleven, and since the day when Parr's eleven went through the Colonies without once suffering a reverse no English team has got through an Australian tour without sustaining more than a single defeat.

Carr and Bubear are to row on the Tyne, May 26th, for £100 a side, and after this is decided, Carr, if he is the winner, may make a match with Wallace Ross or O'Connor. In the meantime he declines O'Connor's challenge.

It is stated that Mr. Benzon has spent the greater part of the £250,000 he commenced with last year, and is not so keen on racing as he was. He has been known to lose as much money as £14,000 at baccarat at a single sitting.

The yacht Bridesmaid averaged 200 miles a day during her race with the yacht Atlantis, from the Isle of Wight to Madeira. The match was for £1,000 sterling.

Harry Bethune and James C. Ryan ran in a handicap race at Salt Lake City a few days ago. Bethune fell in as a "ringer," and not being recognized as the great Canadian sprinter, betting against him was heavy. He won the purse easily, together with $8,000 of outside money. Ryan finished second.

All the clubs in the Minnesota and Winnipeg Rowing Association, except the Winnipegs, have professional trainers, but it is quite likely that Winnipeg will win for all that at the approaching contest. John Fitzpatrick, the English professional sculler, will coach the Duluth club. Fitzpatrick was the fraudulent entry made by the Boiling Springs Boat Club, of Rutherford, N.J., as an amateur in the junior singles at the last national regatta on Lake Chautauqua, but the fraud was discovered in time.

George Hosmer was prepared to decorate Hanlan's portrait in his boathouse, and had laid the bunting aside for the purpose. When the news of the ex-champion's defeat came he threw the bunting into the river. In the morning crape surmounted the frame and the words: "*Le roi est mort;* once the noblest and best of them all."

Joe Bowers is ready to fight any man of his weight on the coast for $500, or more.

Except by actual spectators very little interest has been taken in the six day's tramp in New York. Six-day races are a poor apology for sport, and their decadence is a matter of no regret.

FIELD EXERCISE.

Movements Omitted in the New Military Orders.

As our military readers are aware many and important changes have been made in the field exercise and evolution of infantry during the past few years but the most radical that have yet been made have just been published under the new orders. About half the movements have been omitted. The changes have, no doubt, been designed with a view to simplifying the work. The full list of the changes follows:

Formations and movements to be omitted from the "Field Exercise and Evolutions of Infantry, 1884": Dressing man by man, p. 29, sec. 25; right-about (or left-about) wheel, p. 39, sec. 32; forming to the right-about (or left-about), p. 40, sec. 33; files forming to the right (or left) about, p. 44, sec. 43; (1), fours wheeling to the right (or left) about, and (2), forming to the right (or left) about, p. 50, sec. 46; wheeling from column into line (from the halt), p. 69, sec. 4; wheeling from column into line (on the march), p. 75, sec. 7; forming to the right (or left) about, p. 83, sec. 13; countermarching, p. 84, sec. 16; battalions in line relieving each other, p. 131, sec. 8; (3), column of double companies diminishing front, p. 138, sec. 12; a column countermarching, p. 147, sec. 15; a battalion in line advancing in column of double companies, p. 152, sec. 13; a battalion in line retiring from one flank in rear of the other, or from both flanks in rear of the centre or of any named company, p. 159, sec. 25; also last paragraph (prolonging the line), p. 161; a battalion in line forming a column of double companies, p. 168, sec. 25; wheeling from column into line, p. 162, sec. 26; a battalion in column forming line by companies in succession to either flank, p. 169, sec. 27; a battalion in column of double companies forming line to the right or left, p. 170, sec. 28; a battalion in column of double companies deploying, p. 179, sec. 30; Nos. 1 and 2, the alternate method, "by fours," described on p. 185, only to be used, p. 182, sec. 31; Nos. 1, 2 and 3—the alternative method, described on p. 181, only to be used, p. 186, sec. 32; a battalion in column of double companies forming square, p. 208, sec. 39; a battalion re-forming column of double companies, p. 201, sec. 41; a brigade advancing or retiring, in line of quarter-column of double companies, at deploying interval, p. 268, sec. 10; a brigade in line advancing in columns of double companies from the centre of battalions, p. 269, sec. 11; a brigade retiring in columns from one flank of battalions in rear of the other, or from both flanks of battalions in rear of their centres, p. 270, section 12; a brigade advancing in double column from the centre, or retiring in double column from both flanks in rear of the centre, sec. 13; a brigade in double column, forming line to the front, or to a flank, p. 272, sec. 14; a brigade retiring in column from one flank to the rear of the other, p. 274, sec. 15; a brigade in line changing position by columns of double companies, p. 249, sec. 17; first paragraph, line 7, dele "or column of double companies," p. 352, sec. 2; last paragraph, line 8, dele "or column of double companies," p. 358; rear rank looking up when "marching past." There is a good deal to be unlearned in these omissions and deletions.

Mothers!

Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mother's friend. 35 doses, 35 cents. mr 21 3m.

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WM. GILBERT.

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SEATTLE, W.T.

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WILLIAM LITTLE.

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The Drs. Darrin are located at the International Hotel, Cherry street, Seattle, W. T. Consultation free. They will under no circumstances take a case that they are positive that they cannot cure or benefit. Charges are reasonable and the poor treated free from 9 to 10 a. m. Tuesdays and Saturdays.

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A Warning.

The modes of death's approach are various, and statistics show conclusively that more persons die from diseases of the throat and lungs than any other. It is probable that everyone, without exception, receives vast numbers of tubercle germs into the system and when these germs fall upon suitable soil they start into life and develop, at first slowly and is shown by a slight tickling sensation in the throat and if allowed to continue their ravages they extend to the head, causing catarrh. Now all this is dangerous and if allowed to proceed will in time cause death. At the onset you must act with promptness; allowing a cold to go without attention is dangerous and may lose you your life. As soon as you feel that something is wrong with your throat, lungs or nostrils, obtain a bottle of Boschee's German Syrup. It will give you immediate relief.

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NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Victoria office, No. 48 Langley street, on Monday, the fourth day of June next, at 11:30 o'clock a. m., to receive the report of the Board, to elect Trustees for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may then and there be submitted.

The transfer books will be closed from the twenty-first day of May to the fourth day of June, inclusive.

Revelstoke, May 18th, 1888.
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TIME TABLE NO. 9.
Taking effect November 1, 1887.

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Lv Seattle	10.45 a.m.	Lv Pt. Townsend	9.00 a.m.
Ar Pt. Townsend	2.00 p.m.	Ar Seattle	12.15 p.m.
Lv Pt. Townsend	2.30 p.m.	Lv Seattle	2.30 p.m.
Ar Victoria	5.30 p.m.	Ar Tacoma	a 5.30 p.m.

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NOTICES.

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1876."

An Undivided Half of Part of Section 14, Sooke District.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to an undivided half of part of Section 14, Sooke District, will be issued to William Bell Charters, on the 1st day of June, 1888, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said part of said section or some part thereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
1st March 1888. fe29 3m

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTNERship heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name of Neufelder & Ross has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due the late firm must be paid to Mr. Dixie H. Ross, who will assume all liabilities and continue the business under the firm name of Dixie H. Ross & Co.

E. C. NEUFELDER.
DIXI H. ROSS.

Witnessed by
CHAS. WILSON, Solicitor, Victoria.
Victoria, May 3rd, 1888.

The undersigned, while thanking the public for the very liberal patronage extended to the late firm during the past eight years, solicits a continuation of the same. The new firm will be pleased to see all old customers and many new ones, and will strive to give the same satisfaction as in the past.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALEXander Hendry is no longer in the employ of the Victoria Water Works.

By order,
JAMES D. ROBINSON,
City Hall, 2nd May, 1888. City Clerk.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I have applied to the Honourable the Minister of the Interior for a license to cut and take away timber from the following lands viz:-Sections 29 and 34. The N.W. ¼ and the S. E. ¼ of section 20; the S. W. ¼ of section 21; the N. W. ¼ of section 26; the N. E. ¼ of section 27; the N. W. ¼ of section 28; the S. ¼ of section 32, and the E. ½ of section 33, in Township 2 and section 31 Block 5 North Range I West, and sections 35 and 36 Block 5 North Range II West in the District of New Westminster.

JOSEPH B. CHAMBERS.
March 2nd, 1888. ap24-1m

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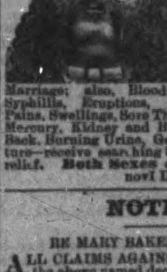

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NOTICE.

RE MARY BAKER, DECEASED.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF the above named deceased must be sent to the undersigned before the 30th day of May next, at which date they will proceed to distribute the same without reference to any claim not then received by them.

JOSEPH H. MACLAUGHLAN,
ROBERT ERSKINE,
Executors of the will of the said Mary Baker.
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mr3 1y R. B. EsNOUF, Secretary.

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TUESDAY, MAY 22nd, 1888,

Commencing at 11 o'clock a. m.

1,500 Potted Plants,

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WEDNESDAY, May 23rd, 1888,
—AT—
11 O'CLOCK A. M.,
—ALL HIS—
Household Furniture!
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Bedroom Suits, Mattresses, Blankets, Pillows, Bedding, Carpets, Curtains, Blinds, Pictures, Engravings, Oilcloth, M.T. Hatrack, Hall Chair, Vases, Ornaments, Rugs, Easy Chairs, Tables, Chairs, Clocks, Rockers, Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, Oak Secretary, Lounge, Work Table, Whatnot, Cruets, Stove.

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A large stock of Whitney's celebrated baby carriages just received by John Weiler, Fort street. *

The Sound Steamers.

The Olympian will leave Victoria at 2 a. m. daily, arriving at Seattle at 8:45 a. m. Returning, the steamer will leave Seattle at 11 a. m., arriving at the Victoria wharf at 5:30 p. m.

Black Dress Materials a Specialty.

Ladies who wear Black from choice will always find the most varied selection at the CITY HOUSE. *

The Bowling Green.

The opening of the Bowling Green on Thursday evening was a very successful affair. The Dougal minstrel troupe contributed a number of selections of vocal music, and at 11 p. m. dancing was commenced, lasting until 2 a. m. The bowling green proper will be opened on the 1st of August, when the grounds will be in order and the bowls arrive from England.

The New Plush Cretonnes.

Beautiful patterns in this stylish material for Curtains, &c., just received at the CITY HOUSE. *

The Horse Races.

The competition at the horse races on Thursday and Saturday are likely to be close and exciting. Mr. R. E. Smith, who arrived from Kamloops on Saturday night has brought down his horse Royal to compete in the races to be run at Beacon Hill and in Victoria Park. Royal is a beautiful, clean limbed animal, with a good record and will make the local runners "hustle" to beat him.

A Capital Arrangement.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has made arrangements whereby tourists holding Northern Pacific return tickets can have the return portion exchanged for those r ading via Canadian Pacific, by applying to Robert Irving, C. P. R. office, Government street. *

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Monday, May 21, 1888

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Ice Cream at Steitz's. *

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready.

—Call and see Fisher & Wilson, architects, before ordering plans. *

—A. C. West, Dentist, extracts teeth absolutely without pain by a new process

—Call at the Albion House and inspect the new goods now being opened. *

—New Jackets and Mantles at Albion House. *

—Novelties in parasols and sunshades at the Albion House. *

—Mr. T. C. Sorby, of this city, is erecting a fine residence on Pinder street in Vancouver.

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., and views of Alaska for sale at R. MAYNARD'S, Douglas St. ‡

—Hot luncheon between 12 and 2:30 daily, except Sunday, at the Boomerang. McDermott & Cliffe, proprietors.

—Modern building for the least possible money. See Fisher & Wilson, architects. *

—The Mexico had 372 tons of freight on board for Victoria, 65 for Vancouver, Port Townsend 119, Seattle 496, Tacoma 222.

—Ross & Ceperley, Real Estate and Insurance. C. P. R. Co.'s lots for sale; correspondence solicited. P. O. Block, Hastings street, Vancouver, B. C. *

—The contract at Kamloops for the erection of a Masonic Hall has been let to McGregor & Sons.

—Now Opening—A large stock of Gents' Scarfs and Ties; the very latest styles and patterns, at the GOLDEN RULE CLOTHING STORE, Yates street.

—Malarial poisons contain the germs of dangerous diseases. If these poisons accumulate in the system, Typhoid, Bilious, Intermittent or Chill Fever is sure to follow. Ayer's Ague Cure is a warranted specific for malaria. *

—Mr. Alex. Matheson, manager of the Dominion House, Kamloops, dislocated his right hip last week by jumping from the baggage car when the train started.

—Tomb and Headstones, Monuments, in Marble, imported and local Granite, Mantle pieces and Wash Stands in Marble, artistically executed, and at reasonable rates, at George Rudge's Marble Works, Douglas street, Victoria. Call and see specimens of work.

English Window Glass, 16 oz., all sizes; also Stained and Enamelled Glass, at Muirhead and Mann's Sash and Door Factory.

—The first sod was turned for a new Church of England at Kamloops on Wednesday last. The corner stone will be laid with Masonic honors. The cost will be about $3,000.

—In chronic diseases, medicines should be restoring, and not debilitating, in their action. The wonderful strengthening and curative effects, realized from the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, sustain the reputation of this remedy as the most popular blood purifier. *

—For the largest and best assortment of FURNITURE, CARPETS, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS, &c., go to J. SEHL, Government Street, where you are sure to get suited in style, quality and lowest prices. *

—Three young ladies and five lads have recently arrived in Kamloops from England, sent out by the Church Emigration Society to the care of Canon Cooper.

—New to-day at the Albion House: Jackets, mantles, dress goods, linen collars, sets and handkerchiefs, prints, cambrics, sateens, ginghams and zephyrs, parasols and sunshades, art muslins, lace and scrim curtains, boys' and girls' straw hats, sheetings, table linen and table cloths. BROWN & WHITE. *

—Remember the entertainment to be given this (Monday) evening by the W. C. T. U. in the Temperance Hall, Pandora street. An excellent programme has been prepared for the occasion. The Rev. T. McF. McLeod and others will deliver addresses. Tickets of admission only 25 cents. There is sure to be a full house present.

Bank of Montreal.

The prosperity and welfare of Canada is linked with this institution, hence its operations from year to year are watched with unusual interest. Following is an abstract of the statement submitted at the annual meeting of shareholders held in Montreal on the 11st inst. The business for this and last year was:

		1888.	1887.
Balance profit and loss account		$ 605,740 35	$ 512,545 25
Profits after deducting charges of management and making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts		1,284,501 17	1,520,195 25
Total		$1,890,241 52	$2,045,740 85
Dividend 5 p. ct. paid Dec 1, 1887	$600,000		
Dividend 5 p. ct. payable June 1, 1888	600,000	1,200,000 00	1,440,000 00
Balance of profit and loss carried forward		690,241 52	605,740 35

The difference in the profits of 1888 as compared with last year is $240,000, which was paid last year in the form of a 2 per cent. dividend. The balance to profit and loss carried forward is $85,000 in excess of the same period last year.

Considerable changes have taken place in the general statement since last year; the notes in circulation have increased from $5,204,072 in 1887 to $5,467,740 in 1888, deposits bearing interest from $10,248,460 to $14,325,780 while the amount due from agencies of the bank in foreign countries has increased from $6,772,904 in 1887 to $9,788,295 in 1888. Loans and discounts show an increase from $27,468,892 to $31,452,541, other changes being immaterial. Unsecured overdue notes are only $116,000.

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For comfort and durability try a pair of Johnston & Murphy's Fine Boots. To be had at H. Manzell's, Sole Agent for British Columbia. *

Arrived!

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar. *

THE ASSIZE COURT.

Charge of Mr. Justice Crease to Grand Jury—Several Cases Disposed Of.

The Assizes opened at 11 o'clock this morning, Hon. Justice Crease presiding. The following Grand Jury were sworn: L B Hamlin, foreman; J B Anderson, James Burns, Abel Beswick, J P Burgess, E B Carmichael, Joshua Davies, W Elford, John Finlayson, John Kinsman, W Grimm, R Lettice, W H Mason, J McAllister, J W Tolmie, Joseph Wilson, E Wilkenson, W Wilson, Walter Walker.

His Lordship, in his charge to the Grand Jury, said the calender was unusually large but the cases were not very serious and would not take up much of the time of the jury. The first case to address the jury on was that of the Queen against John Dawe and Edward Clark. If any twelve jurymen agreed upon a true bill the foreman shall sign the bill. A true bill does not necessarily mean that a prisoner is guilty; it is also in favor of a man charged as it will clear him before the world if he is found not guilty. The evidence against Clark and Dawe is very clear and the charge brought against James M. Johnson for forgery was a very simple one. Francis A. Bradley is another case which is also very simple. He was caught in Mr. Seiward's saloon in such a manner that there can be little for the jury to do. Another case, which is a most serious one, is a charge of conspiracy against Lim Sam, which, if it be true, shows a state of things in our midst which should never be allowed to exist in a British community. After explaining the six counts against Lim Sam His Lordship said if there is *prima facia* evidence against the prisoner the jury will so bring in a verdict. The next charge is against Leon Lequime for stealing $40 in money and a bottle of cologne from the store of Langley & Co. The next is a case of Robert Irving, who is charged with entering the Lion Brewery. There was another charge against James M. Johnson for entering the residence of Mr. Young. Ah Sam, a Chinaman, was the next case, on a charge of stealing from the residence of Thomas Russell. There is a case of the Queen against Yip Chong and Ah Sam for attempting to bribe police officers. James Wallace is charged with setting fire to a building owned by Lawrence Goodacre, on Government street in this city, and George Price for attempting to kill and murder. There is a suggestion that he wished to kill the girl to obtain the money which would revert to him if the girl was out of the way. The depositions will be handed you and although the girl is not here the depositions may be taken and the crime brought home if the man is guilty. The next case, which was considered a most serious one, was the charge against Campbell and Kennedy, with an attempt to defraud Mr. Gabriel and others. His Lordship reviewed the evidence in this case at considerable length. The Queen *versus* Alexander, charged with highway robbery. The Queen *versus* Alfred Townsend for stealing from the residence of Mr. Young. This young man is an old offender. There is a case of embezzlement, the Queen *versus* Munroe, on which the jury would be charged later on. The grand jury can present nuisances, such as brothels and places where the law is not carried out, and which did not come under the notice of the Provincial authorities.

James M. Johnson, on a charge of forgery, was called.

Mr. Charles Wilson said he was called on by prisoner's father and entered a plea of guilty. He asked His Lordship to consider the extreme youth of the defendant and also that the boy was the son of hard-working parents. The learned counsel made a most pathetic appeal for mercy and asked for a light sentence.

His Lordship said the prisoner could not have placed himself in better hands. The parents are to blame for placing their children in such a position as that occupied by the prisoner. The majority of young men brought before the Court had no homes, or were brought up in such a manner that they eventually fall into the hands of the police. Their homes should be made more agreeable. His Lordship said the appeal made by the learned counsel would be considered, and, in view of the extreme youth of Johnson and his promises to reform the sentence would be imprisonment in the provincial gaol for six months.

Edward Clark and John Dawe pleaded guilty to the charge of robbing the Victoria Loan shop. Sentence was reserved.

True bills were returned in the cases of Francis Bradley and Alfred Townsend. No bill against Robert Irving. A *nolle prosique* was entered in the cases of John Boscamp, Riley Robbins and David Cragie for obstructing a railway.

Francis Bradley, stealing.—Mr. S. Perry Mills appeared for the defense and said he did not intend to take up the time of the Court but would plead guilty. The young man was employed for two years by Mr. Cowan and bore a good character. He was drinking on the night of the robbery and through associating with bad companions had been led astray.

Mr. Cowan spoke in favor of the prisoner and stated that he was always steady whilst in his employ.

His Lordship said if he was merciful they would take no notice of the light sentence imposed. Former cases had been allowed a short sentence, and they did not take much notice of the mercy shown by the court. In addressing Bradley His Lordship said he would be imprisoned twelve months to date from the time of commitment, which was five months ago.

Alfred Townsend was put on trial for robbing the residence of Michael Young. The following jury were sworn: T Williams, W Waite, R J Law, F W Peatt, John Piercey, E Whetstone, A McMillan, W D Curran, G A Perrin, W H Cook, J Colbert, R H Ward, Mr. Piercey was selected as foreman.

Mr. P. A. E. Irving, Deputy Attorney General, appeared for the prosecution and addressed the jury.

The prisoner was not defended and pleaded "not guilty."

Ho, for Shawnigan Lake.

Guests at the Morton House, Shawnigan Lake, find the invigorating air of that charming locality better than a cock-tail. Although the meals are well served, and at regular times, one feels that owing to the exhilarating qualities of the atmosphere, the good old English system of five meals a day would be in order. Those in search of health cannot do better than pay a lengthened visit to mine host of the Morton House, where they can depend on the kindest care and attention, with boating and fishing opportunities seldom found elsewhere. It is said that the water used in the hotel possesses medicinal properties of a remarkably beneficial character. Considering that the trains run regularly daily to and from Victoria and Nanaimo, one may say that this hostelry is in town, yet possessing all the advantages of a country home.

Well Done Bell.

Princess Louise, wishing to buy an organ this fall, requested two of London's most famous organists to select one, and after a thorough test they chose one of W. Bell & Co.'s. C. A. Lombard & Co. are the sole agents for British Columbia. *

—Oysters and Turtles at Poodle Dog.

PERSONAL.

Mrs Cambie, of Vancouver, is in the city.

Mr E V Bodwell is paying the capital a visit to-day.

Mr Thornton Fell returned from the mainland on Sunday night.

Mr A DeWolf returned from Vancouver on Sunday evening.

Mr F C Ambridge, traveling auditor of the C P R, is at the Driard.

Mr A McKennon, the well known fast stock owner of Kamloops, is in town.

Mr E White, of Brown & White, Victoria and Vancouver, is in town to-day.

Mr Benj Springer and Miss Mable Springer, of Moodyville, are in the city.

Mr H M Bate, a wealthy citizen of Ottawa and Miss Bate, are at the Driard.

Mr R E Smith, of Kamloops, was among the arrivals on Saturday night.

Mr C B Sword, of Riverside, is in the city on business in connection with the Matsqui dyking scheme.

Dr Reid, of this city, conducted the services in the Episcopal Church, New Westminster yesterday.

John Tod, who has been seriously ill is better. His fever is subsiding and he will be on the street in a week.

Major Rogers, the well known C P R engineer, and discoverer of Rogers' Pass is in the city and a guest at the Driard.

Mr G Promis, a well known pioneer merchant of this city, arrived from San Jose this morning on a visit to his old friends.

Mr H J Welgrass, paymaster of the Western Division of the C P R, with his bride is spending his honeymoon in Vancouver.

Mr Edmund Ogle, of the enterprising mercantile firm of Messrs Ogle, Campbell & Co., New Westminster, is in the city.

Mrs John McKenzie, of the Dominion land office, New Westminster, has left on a visit to Halifax, N S, her former home.

Lord Lansdowne sails from Quebec next Thursday, 24th inst. On the same steamer will be the Hon Oliver Mowat, Premier of Ontario, and His Lordship the Bishop of Ontario.

Mrs F X Martin, Vancouver, has so far recovered from her recent illness as to enable her being removed from the hospital, New Westminster, to her home, much to the delight of her numerous friends.

Dr Widdifield, M P P for North York, has resigned his seat in order that he may be appointed Sheriff for the county of York. This is another instance of a member representing himself instead of his constituents.

Roderick Finlayson and daughter, says the Portland News, of Victoria, are in the city, the guests of Auditor Huggins, who is Mr. Finlayson's brother-in-law. Mr Finlayson is one of the earliest pioneers of the Pacific coast, having built Fort Vancouver in 1844.

In addition to the names already published, the Mexico has the following passengers on board for this port, viz: Hon Alex E B Davie, wife and family, A M Carter, F L Nixon, Mrs Vroom, Mrs McKenzie, J E McMahon, W Coleman; Miss Skinner, family and nurse.

Mr Melvin Prior, special artist for the Illustrated London News, in company with Assistant Supt Niblock, is now in the mountains on his way to the coast. He is sketching the scenery in the neighborhood of Banff, Field and the Glacier hotel, which will appear in due course in his paper.

Mr. Geo. G. Crane, of Council Bluff, Iowa, representing the Masonic Benevolent Association, is in the city. When in Seattle he paid $5,000 to the heirs of James Craig, who was a member of the association. The cost to insurers is about $14 for $5,000.

Passengers Arriving.

Per Str. Yosemite from Vancouver—Thos Vincent, P G Baxter, R H Benedict, Ben Springer, Capt W Rogers, F C Ambridge, S J Pitts, Miss Mabel Springer, A Johnson, A Pickering, J Pickering, H Lewis, H Rogers, G W Haynes, Mrs Astkow and son, T Mitchell, J Clark, A E Lewis, C Hach, Mrs Cambie, Miss Lippot, Capt Howard, Jas Lippot, C J Johnston, Mrs W T Davis, C O Austin, Geo Rowley, T Fell, T Chung, G H Barnard, J C Siegfred, E V Bodwell, A Branchi, G W Ogle, Mrs Siegfried, C W Sword, H M Yates, E White, Capt W Soule, S McGhie, H Fingia, N Smith, H B Harvey, B Reilly, A Lange, C Lange, Wah Hing, S W Swynn, Ah Loy, Ma Hing See Yuan, Wa Pon, Lee Chuck, Miss Dock, J Dock, Mrs F Flinn, Mrs Reid, Mrs H Bate, H M Bate, W L Homes, J Bell, Mrs J Bell, S Cohier, J Lewis, Mrs Lewis, S H Moirhouse, Mrs S Harvey, E Frevor, Miss J Williams, J W Budd, F Steel, F Woods, T Berridge, Miss A Berridge, M Smith, Jane Bryden, Mrs M Smith, A Nesting, Miss Lucy Powell, A Johnston, T Gold, Hannah Gold, W Gold, J Saldy, W S McKay, A Williams, J A Williams, Jno Williams, M Williams, W Waite, A Beaslie, W Stewart, M Destin, W Stokes, A Smart, C Little, A Steel, Miss Dupont, Miss Alice Undo, A Cameron, Mrs J Lash, A DeWolf, A Reinstick, M Barbara, W Simpson, A Metcalf, A Stanler, W Smart.

Consignees.

Per steamer Mexico from San Francisco—A R Johnston & Co, A Laurence, A Lewis & Co, A & W Wilson, A Evans & Co, A Mayer & Co, Albion Iron Works, Angus & Gordon, Brackman & Ker, C M Smith, Carne & Munsie, C W Rogers, C McDonough, C J Robson, Chas Gabriel & Co, C Zollie, C Morley, D Merrill, D H Ross & Co, E B Marvin, Ellis & Co, E G Prior, F P [illegible] & Co, F Norris, Findlay Durham & Co, G Morison, Hudson Bay Co, H Short, Haslam & Lees, Rosenbaum & Lawson, H Kohos, H A Lilley, H Saunders, Order J Englehardt, J Weiler, J W Andjowski, J Bretful, J Sehl, J Sommer, J H Todd & Son, J Sears, J Scutti, J & A Clearihue, Kay Chong, Langley & Co, Matthew B&T, Mann & Heron, Mrs W McNamee, McDonald & Co, McDonald & Co, McLennan & McFeeley, M T M Co, Marvin & Tilton, Neufelder & Ross, N Portman, P McQuade, P J Foulds & Co, R Baker & Son, Redon & Hartnagle, R Maynard, Robertson & Taylor, R Ward, S J Pitts, S H Frank & Co, S Leiser, Sue Wo Lung, Spratt & Gray, The Ward Room Officers H M S Caroline, T N Hibben, T L Briggs, T Shotbolt, T W Pierce, T Earle, U Nelson, Vair & Brooks, Vancouver C M & L Co, W Heathorn, W H Kennister, W J Bernard, W H Mixer, W Dashwood Jones, Wing Chong, Whitfield Bros, Welch Rithet & Co, Wells Fargo & Co, Young Bros, Yuen Lung, North Pacific Express Co.

Athletes Attention!

Rubber soled laced boots and shoes at Erskine's Boot and Shoe Emporium. Try them. Corner Government and Johnson streets. *

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